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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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: GROUP ART UNIT: 1652

FOR: METHOD FOR PRODUCING PURINE NUCLEOSIDE BY FERMENTATION

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action of October 4, 2006, in the above-identified application, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

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